

## Message Text

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TAGS: EFIS, IWC 1

SUBJECT: U.S. OBSERVER TO SERVE AT AUSTRALIA WHALING  
LAND STATION

1. REQUEST EMBASSY CONTACT MR. PURNELL-WEBB, DIRECTOR  
OF FISHERIES, MINISTRY OF PRIMARY INDUSTRY TO INQUIRE  
HOW LONG HE WOULD EXPECT U.S. OBSERVER TO STAY AT  
AUSTRALIA LAND STATION TO FINISH OUT 1977 SEASON.

FYI: SINCE GOA HAS BEEN UNSUCCESSFUL IN ACHIEVING INTER-  
NATIONAL OBSERVER AGREEMENT WITH BRAZIL AS CALLED FOR BY  
INTERNATIONAL WHALING COMMISSION, THEY HAVE REQUESTED  
USG TO SEND OBSERVER TO AUSTRALIA. CHRISTOPHER

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## Message Attributes

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